

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A decorative article comprising a decorative portion and a suction device for mounting the decorative article to a surface of a product to be decorated.
2. (Original) A decorative article according to claim 1 in which the suction device is a suction cup.
3. (Original) A decorative article according to claim 2 in which the suction cup is substantially smaller than the decorative portion.
4. (Original) A decorative article according to claim 3 in which the suction cup is one quarter or less than the size of the decorative portion.
5. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of claims 2-4~~ claim 3 in which the suction cup extends from a rear part of the decorative portion.
6. (Original) A decorative article according to claim 5 in which the suction cup extends from a central area of the rear part of the decorative portion.
7. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of claims 2-6~~

claim 2 in which the suction cup is in the shape of a pair of lips.

8. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of claims 2-7~~
claim 2 in which the decorative portion is constructed substantially to conceal the suction
cup during use of the decorative article.

9. (Original) A decorative article according to claim 8 in which the decorative
portion has a rearwardly extending peripheral rim that acts substantially to conceal the
suction cup during use of the decorative article.

10. (Original) A decorative article according to claim 8 in which the decorative
portion has a recessed rear portion, and in which the suction cup is positioned in the
recessed rear portion.

11. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of claims~~
~~2-10~~ claim 2 in which the suction cup is made of a transparent material.

12. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of the~~
~~preceding claims~~ claim 1 in which the decorative portion comprises a panel having a
recessed front portion for receiving decorative objects therein.

13. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of the~~
~~preceding claims~~ claim 1 in which the decorative portion and the suction cup are formed

integrally with each other so that the decorative article is an integrally-formed one-piece decorative article.

14. (Cancelled)

15. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1 in which the decorative portion comprises only decoration, ~~and in which there is no non-decorative background for the decoration, and in which the decoration consists of or comprises words which are of an open presentation.~~

16. (Cancelled)

17. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1 in which the decorative portion is moulded to be a curved decorative portion which extends partially around a curved part of the product to be decorated.

18. (Cancelled)

19. (Cancelled)

20. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1 in which the decorative portion is formed in a shape that provides

the decoration.

21. (Cancelled)

22. (Currently amended) A decorative article according to ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1 and including a badge, the badge being separately manufactured from the decorative portion, and the decorative article being such that it has fixing means for securing the badge to the decorative article.

23. (Cancelled)

24. (Cancelled)

25. (Currently amended) A product when decorated with a decorative article according to ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1.

26. (Currently amended) A product according to claim 25 and in the form of a container, and in which the container is a drinking vessel.

27. (Cancelled)

28. (Cancelled)